PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of Docket No: Q79574 Masayoshi TAKAHASHI, et al. Appln. No.: 10/790,716 Confirmation No.: 2616 Group Art Unit: 1764 Filed: March 3, 2004 Examiner: John Christopher DOUGLAS MANUFACTURING GAS HYDRATE USING MICROBUBBLE For: AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c) **MAIL STOP RCE** Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: In response to the Office Action dated April 4, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. TABLE OF CONTENTS AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS2